Elisha Taylor House

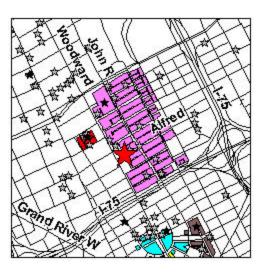
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Taylor House, 2002

Historic Overview:

The house was built circa 1872 for William H. Craig a wealthy land speculator, who sold it within a year or two of completion to Elisha Taylor. Taylor was an attorney who occupied a number of public offices during his like, including that of City Attorney. The house is two stories tall with a high mansard roof. A seeming amalgam of Gothic and Tudor Revival with elements of other styles as well, it remains on of the finest examples of residential design remaining from that period in Detroit.

Text as written in the Brush Park Local Designation Report.

